Least Specific

Strategic Priority or Strategic Initiative

(What will we have to do or accomplish to achieve this?

Answering this question produces potential accomplishments which become goals.)

Goals

(Represent a desired result and translate strategic priorities into manageable units of effort.)

Most Specific

Objectives

(Translate the goals into specific units of effort and are more specific.)

As we break down the strategic priorities or initiatives, we INCREASE the level of specificity.



The terms work plan, action plan and implementation plan are often used interchangeably.

These plans provide the details of specific tasks, who is responsible, due dates, resource allocations.